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MEMORANDIM FOR: Deputy Director, FIC Additional In-House Contract Assistance SUBJECT: 1. Since we have apparently broken the ice with the achievement 25X1A I think it is timely 25X1A of a TB clearance for to start on a second man. concerning the electronic rectifier 25X1A 2. Discussions with lead me to believe the following suggestions are valid: s. The rectifiers (2) when delivered to PIC (January 1961 and about July 1961) should have the benefit of continuous specialized maintenance and trained operators. The rectifiers should be located in the proximity of the 25X1A computer, since continuous ties will be necessary, and because they are not intended to be production instruments, in the volume sense of the word. c. These considerations should not preclude our sending men for training as a PIC backstop for the one contract 25X1A 3. The following names were given me by the state of likely persons 25X1A for such a task: 25X1A burden, G&A, and fe25X1A 4. The cost per man-year, including They would expect a minimum 25X1A would be in the neighborhood of of a one-year contract. you, and I talk this over as so25X1A 5. I suggest that as possible. 5X1A

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